

Rule 7067-1

REGISTRY FUND

(a) In accordance with Fed. R. Bankr. P. 7067, the Clerk shall maintain an interest-bearing registry account ("Registry Fund"). Any party wishing to deposit funds into the Registry Fund may do so only upon order of the Court and notice to every other interested party. The party seeking to make the deposit shall serve a copy of the signed order upon the Clerk of Court, and/or the Financial Administrator for the United States Bankruptcy Court, Middle District of Florida. Upon receipt of the signed order, the Clerk of Court shall cause the funds to be deposited into the Registry Fund pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2041. The Clerk of Court and members of his staff are not required to comply with the deposit request if the party seeking to make the deposit fails to make service in accordance with this local rule.

(b) In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 2042, no funds deposited in the Registry Fund shall be withdrawn except by order of the Court. The Clerk shall deduct from any interest paid on the Registry Fund a registry fee as authorized by the Judicial Conference of the United States and set by the Director of the Administrative Office. This fee shall be deducted upon release of the funds.

Notes of Advisory Committee

2004 Amendment

This amendment sets out how parties can place funds in the registry of the court and what steps are needed to withdraw funds from the registry of the court.